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(EMBL)

1. THE NEW EMBL BUILDINGS IN HEIDELBERG WERE INAUGURATED BY FRG PRESIDENT SCHEEL IN MAY. THIS IS THE FIRST INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION OFFICALLY HEADQUARTERED IN FRG.

2. EMBL WAS FOUNDED IN 1974 BY TEN COUNTRIES - AUSTRIA, DENMARK, FRG, FRANCE, ISRAEL, ITALY, NETHERLANDS, SWEDEN, SWITZERLAND AND UK. THE ANNUAL BUDGET OF ABOUT \$11 MILLION IS MADE UP FROM NATIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS BASED ON GROSS NATIONAL INCOME; THE FRG SHARE WAS 29 PERCENT.

3. THE EMBL BUILDINGS, ADJACENT TO THE MAX PLANCK INSTITUTE FOR NUCLEAR PHYSICS, COST APPROXIMATELY
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\$12 MILLION - FINANCED BY THE CITY OF HEIDELBERG, THE STATE OF BADEN-WUERTEMBERG, AND THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

4. SIR JOHN KENDREW (UK NOBEL LAUREATE) IS THE DIRECTOR OF EMBL. IT WILL HAVE A STAFF OF 350 INCLUDING 70 GUEST SCIENTISTS. THE MAJOR RESEARCH AREAS WILL BE: CELL

BIOLOGY, BIOLOGICAL STRUCTURES, AND INSTRUMENT
DEVELOPMENT. COOPERATIVE PROGRAMS WILL BE CARRIED OUT
WITH THE GERMAN ELECTRON-SYNCHROTRON (DESY) IN HAMBURG,
THE HIGH FLUX REACTOR (ILL) AT GRENOBLE, AND OTHER
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